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In re Application of:

ELJI HAYASHI

Application No.: 09/618,458

Filed: July 18, 2000

For: PRINTING CONTROL APPARA-
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Examiner: M. Chau

Group Art Unit: 2854

May 20, 2002

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The Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicant petitions to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated December 20, 2001 for two (2) months, from March 20, 2002, up to and including May 20, 2001. A check in the amount of \$400.00 for payment of the extension fee is enclosed. Please charge any additional fee required for the extension, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 06-1205.

In response to the Office Action mailed December 20, 2001, the Examiner is respectfully requested to consider and enter the following amendments:

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